
From: jajefson@frontier.com
Sent: Friday, November 15, 2019 12:26 PM
To: BMV Legal
Subject: Transgender licenses

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Dear Public Servants,

Thank you for the work you do at the BMV. I have always had a positive experience at my local branch, and I am grateful for the work that the department does for the people of Indiana.

I have compassion for all people, including those struggling with transgenderism. I view them the same way I do those who struggle with anorexia. They need our love and help. They do not need our affirmation that their reality is truly reality. To me, the proposed rule is like allowing someone with anorexia to change the weight on his/her license to match how he/she feels rather than what his/her true weight is.

Once we cross the line into documenting what people perceive to be real with what IS real, we are opening the floodgates to people wanting to change their race, age, height, weight etc. We are also opening ourselves up to being controlled by those who wish to redefine reality to achieve political gains.

I am reading a book about WWII that contained this quote:

"The ideal subject of totalitarian rule is not the convinced Nazi or the convinced Communist, but people for whom the distinction between fact and fiction and the distinction between true and false no longer exist."

Science confirms that we are male and female down to our chromosomes. Surgery and hormone therapies will still not alter one's fundamental maleness or femaleness.

Please keep the licenses as they have been for generations.

Thank you for taking public comments on this.

Sincerely,

Amy from Lafayette, IN

From: Robyn Klepfer <robyinklepfer@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, November 13, 2019 12:57 PM
To: BMV Legal
Subject: Gender X drivers license

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To whom it may concern:

- There are only two biological sexes fixed at conception, regardless of how individuals choose to characterize themselves.
- Requiring a person to identify their true biology from birth does not prevent someone from living out a male or female identity.
- **Driver's licenses are not supposed to be political statements about lifestyle choices.**
- Emergency medical and law enforcement personnel need to know a person's actual biological sex to perform their duty in the event of an accident.
- Allowing false data on Indiana's driver's licenses compromises the integrity of the license.
- The form to change one's gender has no guidelines for what that means or involves. It is merely a doctor's signature.

Please refrain from adding a "gender X" to Indiana State Driver's Licenses.

Thank you!

From: Stephen Thomas <stevejoycet@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, November 13, 2019 8:12 AM
To: BMV Legal
Subject: proposed rule on gender

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I would like to state my opinion on this new rule you are considering where a doctor could simply sign a form attesting that a person has changed their sex.

There are only two biological sexes, fixed at conception, and a driver's license is not meant to be a political statement about someone's lifestyle choice.

Also the medical and law enforcement personnel need to know the person's biological sex to perform their duty in the event of an accident.

Please do not go forward with this proposal.

Thank you!
Joyce Thomas

From: Paul V McHenry <rmchenry375@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, November 12, 2019 9:17 PM
To: BMV Legal
Subject: LSA 19-486

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There are only 2 biological sexes fixed at conception. Drivers licenses are not meant to be political statements about someone's lifestyle choices. Emergency medical, law enforcement and others need to know a person's biological sex to perform their duties properly. Thank you

From: Karen Denker <karen.denker@att.net>
Sent: Tuesday, November 12, 2019 2:13 PM
To: BMV Legal
Subject: Re; Transgender Drivers Licenses

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I believe that the only way a person can convert from male to female or visa versa on their driver's license is after they have undergone sex reassignment surgery. At that point they can reapply for a driver's license with verification from their doctor.

Thank you for asking for my input,
Karen Denker

From: Carol Killion <crkillion@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, November 12, 2019 10:01 AM
To: BMV Legal

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I am opposed to the changing of the rule governing the sex identification on our drivers licenses. I feel that the BMV is hugely over stepping their boundaries!

From: Melissa Beatty <clubbeatty@msn.com>
Sent: Monday, November 11, 2019 10:50 AM
To: BMV Legal
Subject: Against X and non binary classification

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People should not be able to change what sex they are on their license. As a female that was born female I have to present my birth certificate and several other documents to prove who I am to get my name changed these are legally binding documents of my identification not medical documents or records, if I have a medical condition or other information that is pertinent then it is listed as a restriction but does not change the core information on my license. Just because someone has a surgery does not change their biology. If I have plastic surgery and it takes 20 years off my face do I get to take 20 years off my age no it didn't change what date I was born. Surgery to change your sex does not change what you were the day you were born. I do not agree with this at all. I'm only one person and I know that my opinion may not matter. I do have sympathy for the people who feel that they are different but I don't think that we are doing any favors letting them change the sex on their license. Next we will be letting them identify as animals and furniture. When we start doing that where do we stop?

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From: Rebecca McHenry <rmchenry350@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, November 11, 2019 8:23 AM
To: BMV Legal
Subject: Drivers Licenses

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There are only 2 biological sexes fixed at conception. Drivers licenses are not meant to be political statements about someone's lifestyle choices. Emergency medical, law enforcement and others need to know a person's biological sex to perform their duties properly. Thank you

From: 8123202404@vzwpix.com
Sent: Monday, November 11, 2019 8:14 AM
To: BMV Legal

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From: Loralyn McHenry <loralynmac@gmail.com>
Sent: Sunday, November 10, 2019 12:34 PM
To: BMV Legal
Subject: Gender

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There are only 2 biological sexes fixed at conception. In event of an accident medical and law enforcement must know the person's biological sex to perform their duty.
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From: Stephen Cullen <stephenthedoc@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, November 09, 2019 4:11 PM
To: BMV Legal
Subject: Sex change on drivers license

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There are only two biological sexes, fixed at conception, and that driver's licenses are not meant to be political statements about someone's lifestyle choice. There is also the fact that medical and law enforcement personnel need to know the person's biological sex to perform their duty in the event of an accident.

From: Maren Breitwieser <mrb78@att.net>
Sent: Saturday, November 09, 2019 11:18 AM
To: BMV Legal
Subject: Gender Fluid Driver's License

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Dear BMV,
Please do not change IN licensing to allow for gender fluid driver's licenses.
THANK YOU!!
Maren Breitwieser

From: Jerry Brown <jbrowns1958@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, November 09, 2019 6:01 AM
To: BMV Legal

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From: pitch2012@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, November 08, 2019 1:47 PM
To: BMV Legal
Subject: 3rd option????

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Well this is the most ridiculous idea just to be politically correct and wrong there are two genders that's all there is to it, we have the need for some intelligence not feelings when you decide these idea's.

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